

Parks & Recreation Department

City of Frisco, Texas

Memorandum

To: Honorable Mayor Maso and Members of the Frisco City Council

CC: George Purefoy, City Manager

Henry J. Hill, Deputy City Manager

Rick Wieland, Director of Parks and Recreation

From: Dudley Raymond, RLA. Parks Planning and Business Development

Manager

Date: 06/07/2010

Agenda Caption: Consider and Act upon approving a resolution authorizing

the City Manager to execute an interlocal agreement by and between the City of Frisco and Frisco ISD for use and cost sharing

between the City of Frisco and Frisco 15D for use and cost sharing

of the lighting of the trail located at Ohio Drive and Wade

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Action Requested: Approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute an Interlocal Agreement (ILA) by and between the City of Frisco and Frisco ISD for the use and cost sharing of the lighting of the trail located at Ohio Drive and Wade Boulevard

Background Information: The FISD constructed a soft trail on their property at the northwest corner of Ohio Drive and Wade Boulevard. The City agreed to partner on the cost of lighting the trail as it benefited both parties.

By partnering with the FISD on this project it allowed them to light the trail for use after dark as well as reduced their cost on the project. It benefited the City as it offers a soft trail as well as a lit trail for citizens to use.

It has been the City's position that we are not able to light trails for use after dark, however there has been request over the years for such a facility. Furthermore, we do not have any decomposed granite trails within our system. So by partnering on the project we were able to meet two needs, that up to this point we have not met; the trail near the Frisco Athletic Center as well as being connected

to the City of Frisco Hike and Bike trail network. This makes it readily accessible to residents. The trail currently gets quite a bit of use from residents.

The City will contribute \$80,000 towards the cost of the project. The District is responsible for the maintenance and lighting costs.

Board Review/Citizen Input: The Parks and Recreation Board is aware of the project.

Alternatives:

- Approve
- Table
- Not Approve
- Direct Staff to make changes

Financial Considerations: Funding will be from the Park Development Funds.

Legal Review: The City Attorney drafted the agreement and approved it as to form.

Supporting Documents:

- Copy of agreement
- Resolution

Staff Recommendation: Approve a resolution authorizing the City Manager to execute an Interlocal Agreement (ILA) by and between the City of Frisco and Frisco ISD for the use and cost sharing of the lighting of the trail located at Ohio Drive and Wade Boulevard.